

## War News.

### HEAVY FIGHTING NOW IN PROGRESS.

The British Brigades which have crossed the Tugela Steadily Pressing the Boers Back. An all-day fight on Saturday. Nothing decisive yet. British losses light.

Winnipeg, Jan. 22, '00.

The London Daily Telegraph has the following dispatch, dated Saturday, from Spearman's Camp,

Gen. Warren's forces have fought a deliberately planned and successful battle. This important engagement occurred to the west of Spion Kop and practically resulted in our clearing the rough table-land which constituted the Boer position. After a fierce cannonade had been directed against the enemy's lines for some time the Boers assembled at a point known as Three Tree hill, which forms the centre of a semi circle of crests crowned with the enemy's works and some six miles long. Steadily and with great dash the British infantry pushed forward to the top of the hill. Our troops were disposed as follows: Major General Woodgate's brigade on the right, Major General Hart's brigade in the centre and Major General Hildyard's brigade on the left. Soon after midday the battle on the hill became furious and from three in the afternoon until 6 the fire from cannon and rifle were both extremely heavy. Point after point of the enemy's position was seized by the British troops and eventually the Boer's right broke and was forced back toward Spion Kop. Our force is bivouacking upon the ground captured so gallantly.

During the action to-day the enemy brought into play some new guns one of which was a quick firer. To-morrow ought to settle the matter. In to-day's fighting our losses were slight. While Gen. Warren was fighting his engagement an effective demonstration was proceeding at Potgieter's Drift. The enemy's positions near there being vigorously shelled by the British batteries.

The Times has the following, dated Sunday evening, from Spearman's Camp: "All yesterday and to-day Gen. Warren has been attacking the Boers. The position is a long ridge four miles northwest on Richard's Drift ascending from the river. At dawn yesterday, Saturday, our guns occupied a kopje on the east of the range. The enemy's defences were chiefly stone sangars extending forward and right along the spur making the position semi-circular. At eleven o'clock General Hart's brigade advanced on the left along a rocky, uneven spur into a semi-circle under a heavy fire from three directions. Taking advantage of all possible cover the troops advanced to a point within 5,000 yards of the enemy's right wing, but they did not advance beyond the edge of the cover. There they remained until dark and bivouacked. In addition to maxim and Nordenfeldt the enemy fired shrapnel captured at Colenso. Their fire was intermittent and was always temporarily silenced by our masked batteries. At night the enemy's right wing evacuated its position.

The war office has received the following from Gen. Buller, dated Spearman's Camp, Jan. 21, 6:55 a. m. "In order to relieve pressure on Gen. Warren and to ascertain strength of the enemy in position in front of Potgieter's Drift, Gen. Lyttleton made a reconnaissance in full force yesterday. This kept the enemy in their trenches in full strength all day. Our casualties were Third Battalion King's Royal Rifles two killed, 12 wounded and two missing."

The war office posted this despatch from General Buller dated Jan. 21, 10 a. m.: "The following were wounded in action near Ventersburg yesterday. Officers, Staff, Col. B. Hamilton, Major C. McGregor, Second Lancashire Fusiliers, Capt. R. S. Blunt, Second Lieut. M. G. Crofton; Second Lieut. E. J. M. Barrett, First Border Rifles; Capt. C. D. Vaughan, Second Lieut. Murrie, First York and Lancashire; Second Lieut. A. N. Kearney, Capt. C. A. Henley since dead, Second Dublin Fusiliers, Major F. English, Second Gordons, Second Lieut. D. P. Stewart, and 279 non-commissioned officers and men."

Spearman's Camp, Jan. 21, 9:30 a. m.: Gen. Warren's engagement continues. He has forced the enemy from three positions. Lancashire and Irish brigades advancing steadily. Fire is very severe occasionally.

Gen. Buller cables as follows to the war office: "Spearman's Camp, Jan. 21, 9 p. m.: Gen. Warren has been engaged all day chiefly on his left, which he has swung forward about a couple of miles. The ground is very difficult and as fighting is all the time up hill it is difficult to say exactly how much we have gained, but I think we are making substantial progress."

London, Jan. 21st: It is evident from Gen. Buller's despatch to the war office and advice to the associated press from Spearman's Camp that a big battle is now being fought. As far as can be gathered from these despatches the result remains undecided and unless the Boers withdraw during the night an engagement on which hangs the fate of Ladysmith and which may prove the turning point of the whole war will result this morning.

### TELEGRAPHIC.

Blackmore, the novelist, is dead. John Ruskin, the great English writer, is dead.

Yukon liquor licenses will be issued by permits by the minister of the interior.

Dr. Wm. Patrick, of Dundee, accepted principalship of the Manitoba college.

The Consolidated Stationery Co's premises in Winnipeg were damaged by fire. Loss \$10,000.

### LOCAL.

H. B. Spritt left for Cuba last week.

E. C. Emery returned from a visit east on Friday.

Dr. Lake went to Wetaskiwin and Leduc on Saturday. He returns to-night.

Mr. Biddle will give an exhibition of lime light views in the Baptist church next Friday evening. Admission free. Collection taken.

Major Southall, of the Salvation army will deliver an address in the army barracks here to-night on "The greatest miracle in the World."

The prizes to be given at the skating carnival to-morrow night are on exhibition in Morris & Co's window. It is expected that the band will be in attendance.

Messrs. O. H. Todd, Wm. Garbett and S. Huggill, three immigration delegates from Michigan, came in on Friday's train to look over Alberta as a field for settlement.

John B. Owens, of Pine Creek, has disposed of the carload of horses which he brought up on the 17th. He will arrive on Feb. 13th, with a carload of general purpose mares.

G. R. F. Kirkpatrick, manager of the Imperial Bank, returned on Friday from Toronto where he had been on a brief visit. Mrs. Kirkpatrick, who is much improved in health, will not return for some weeks yet.

Jas. Osborne, supt. C. P. R., W. Cross, master mechanic, L. O. Gones, purchasing agent, J. Cardell, locomotive foreman, and station master, Calgary, and J. Niblock, division superintendent, came up on Friday's train and returned south Saturday.

Among the members of the contingent who were anxiously awaited were four "old boys" of St. John's college, Winnipeg, W. A. Griesbach, of Fort Saskatchewan, F. French, of Regina, E. D. Clarke, of Prince Albert, and S. Herchmer, of Regina. The boys of the college were out in a body with banners bearing the crest and colors of the institution and when at last the expected ones did arrive they got a most cordial reception. The Rev. Canon Matheson was also at the depot to bid them God speed.

### FATAL SHOOTING ACCIDENT.

Arthur Richardson, the ten year old son of W. J. Richardson, manager of the Dowling mill here, was accidentally shot and killed by his little friend and playmate, Charlie Chinnick, at the latter's home on Saturday morning last. The sad affair occurred, about ten o'clock. The two boys with another companion, a son of Geo. Bellamy had been playing together all morning, and Charlie Chinnick told them of a revolver which his elder brother, Chester, owned and as they wanted to see it he went into the house and brought it out. The three boys then got out of sight behind the ice house, for the purpose of examining the weapon. The revolver was a .38 calibre, centre fire, Smith & Wesson. Charlie Chinnick held it in his hand and Arthur Richardson, standing in front of him bent over to look closely at it. While in this position and about two feet away from the muzzle the weapon was discharged the bullet entering young Richardson's skull at the left temple traversing the brain and glancing downwards, it lodged in the skin near the right ear from whence it was easily removed. As soon as the accident occurred Charlie Chinnick ran to the house and told his mother and the irresponsible boy was carried at once inside and messengers sent for a doctor. Dr. Harrison arrived in about fifteen minutes, and saw at once that the wound was fatal and in a few minutes the unfortunate little fellow was dead. Dr. Whitelaw also arrived within a few minutes of the accident but the wound was beyond the help of medical skill. For a time the revolver could not be found but a few hours afterwards it was found near the scene of the accident. Being warm when brought from the house it had thawed its way through the snow when dropped and was partially concealed.

Coroner Brathwaite was called at once, and enquired the following jury: T. G. Lauder, foreman, Walter Durrant, A. E. Pattison, R. McIntyre, John Peacock and W. E. H. Stokes. A number of witnesses were examined on Saturday, corroborating the facts as given above, and the jury adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning when, after hearing a little more evidence they brought in a verdict of purely accidental death.

The funeral took place yesterday when the remains of Arthur Richardson were interred in the cemetery here. The funeral cortege left the family residence on Second street, proceeding thence to the cemetery, accompanied by a large number of sympathizing friends of the bereaved family.

### SOMEWHAT PREMATURE.

The following telegraphic item, with the editorial note appended, appeared in our Friday's issue:

"Ladysmith relieved. 4000 Boers killed, also Gen. Warren. (The above report was received as we were going to press. Its origin and reliability are unknown)."

The despatch, in writing, now on file in our office, was received by us direct from the telegraph operator here but being unsigned as well as having other suspicious features, we printed it only with the comment shown above.

Like many other despatches received here through the associated press and circulated without reservation by contemporaries it has since proved to be, as we surmised, untrue.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

#### ESTRAY.

One red steer, branded \$10 on left side in two places. A suitable reward for information as to its whereabouts.

WM. J. McKAY, Box 255, Edmonton.

### Horses For Sale.

I will arrive in Edmonton on the 13th of February with a car load of good General Purpose Mares.

JOHN OWENS, Pine Creek.

### Old-Timers' Annual Ball

Robertson Hall, Edmonton  
Tuesday, February 6th, 1900

Tickets: Gentlemen, \$1.50.  
Ladies 50c.

Tickets can be had from any of the following Committee:

Messrs. A. Taylor, J. K. Turnbull, M. McCauley, Wm. McKay, Robt. Vance, H. S. Young, Wm. R. West, Thomas Houston, Ed. Looby, Geo. P. Sanders, or the Secretary,

THOS. G. LAUDER.

### FARMS WANTED.

By every mail I receive letters from intending settlers stating their intention of coming to the Edmonton district in the Spring and asking for information as to prices, etc. of farm lands.

To meet these inquiries I intend getting out a printed list of the lands I have for sale, and now ask those wishing to dispose of improved and unimproved farms to give me the right of sale, with full particulars as to description.

I am anxious to have this list printed not later than the 20th of February and will ask that farms for sale be placed with me before that date.

T. A. STEPHEN,

Real Estate Agent, EDMONTON.

#### LOST.

A Goat Robe, nearly new, between Edmonton and Strathcona. Suitable reward will be paid for its return to Bulletin office at E. Acken.

### Grand Concert

BEAUMONT CHURCH.  
Wednesday, January 24th.

Supper will be served in the Church at 7 p. m., and will be followed by a Concert. The programme will include Instrumental Solos, Songs, Comic Dramas, Phonograph, etc., etc.

Following the Concert will be a Raffle of a number of valuable effects.

Everything in aid of the Church.

Everyone cordially invited.

### Grand Carnival

THISTLE RINK, EDMONTON  
At 8 O'clock

Tuesday Evening, Jan. 23rd

The following Prizes will be awarded:

Ladies' Prize, Silk Blouse Length Gent's Prize, Cut Glass Tobacco Jar. Ladies' Comic Prize, China Cocoa Jar. Gent's Comic Prize, Silver Photo Frame. Boys under 12 years, Red Sweater. Girls under 12 years, China Cup, Saucer and Plate.

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#### LOST. \$5.00 REWARD

On Monday Jan. 8th, between railway station and lower ferry, a brown leather valise, containing suit, articles, and sundries. Finder please return to Bulletin Office.

### Applications for Auditor.

Applications for the position of Auditor of the Town books for the year 1899 will be received up to 8 p. m. on January 22nd, 1900. Salary \$100.

T. A. STEPHEN, Acting Clerk.

### NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the shareholders of La Cie de la farine et de la farine de Morinville, limited, will be held in the public hall of Morinville on Saturday, February 2nd, 1900.

E. BRISSETTE, Sec'y.

### MUSIC

Mr. Vernon Barford (Organist of All Saints' Edmonton) is prepared to give lessons on Piano or Organ to pupils of both junior and senior grades. Lessons given at pupil's residence. Engagements for Concerts and Dances accepted.

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## BIOGRAPHICAL

The Regina correspondent of the Winnipeg Free Press sends his paper the following biographical sketches of the members of the Edmonton, Battleford and Prince Albert quots of the second Transvaal contingent:

D. E. Adams, Canadian, and a Methodist; was six years in the N. W. M. P., and since has been engaged as horse and cattle dealer, freighter, etc., near Edmonton; is 37 years of age; 6 ft. 1 in. high, weighs 185 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 35 to 37 1-2 ins.

W. A. Giles, is a native of the U. S. A.; carpenter, and member of the Church of England. He is one of the pioneers of the Edmonton district, having gone there in 1874 for J. G. Baker & Co. He is 40 years of age, 5 ft. 11 ins. high, weighs 171 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 34 to 37 1-2 ins.

J. E. Ball, native of P. E. I., where he was a carpenter. He is a Baptist. He has been a cattle man about Edmonton; is 24 years old; 5 ft., 7 1-2 ins. high, weighs 155 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 34 to 38 ins.

G. W. M. Campbell, Canadian, Presbyterian; was a telegraph operator, but then served seven years in the N. W. M. P.; is 31 years of age, 5 ft., 10 1-2 inches high, weighs 185 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 39 1-2 to 41 1-2 ins.

E. D. Clarke, a native of Toronto; Presbyterian; is a cowboy a real rough rider, and has served in Rosenfeld's horse; is 24 years of age, 6 ft. high, weighs 170 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 33 to 39 ins.

G. A. Davy, an Englishman, and member of the Church of England; served a year in the British South African police, and has a good discharge from the Matabeleland police; is 26 years of age; 5 ft. 10 1-2 ins. in height, weighs 173 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 34 1-2 to 38 1-2 ins.

Oliver G. Dennis, formerly of Toronto, a member of the Church of England. He is a surveyor and road constructor, doing considerable work in Northern Alberta; was gold commissioner in western British Columbia. He is a brother of J. S. Dennis, deputy commissioner of public works, Northwest government. He is 39 years of age, 6 ft. 1 1-2 ins. high, weighs 173 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 36 to 38 1-2 ins.

J. T. Dowlan, a native of P. E. I.; Roman Catholic; a farmer. He accompanied the recent commission to the northern Indians; a good all-round man; is 23 years of age, 5 ft. 7 ins. high, weighs 154 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 35 to 38 3-4 ins.

Basil C. D'Easum, born in India; a member of the Church of England; has been a cowboy for five years. He is a brother of the Rev. Mr. D'Easum, of Fort Saskatchewan; age, 32; height, 5 ft. 10 ins.; weight, 173 lbs. and has a chest measurement of 34 1-2 to 38 1-2 ins.

F. J. Taylor, of Walsall, Eng.; member of Church of England; has been ranching near Wetaskiwin. He is 30 years of age; 5 ft. 7 3-4 ins. high, weighs 153 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 34 1-2 to 38 3-4 ins.

P. G. Ferguson, Fort Saskatchewan; was 14 years in the N. W. M. P.; (born in Glasgow, Scotland; a Presbyterian; is 34 years of age; 5 ft. 9 1-2 ins. high, weighs 169 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 34 1-2 to 38 ins.

W. Sprott, a teamster, has been ranching near Edmonton; was born at Jedburgh, Scotland; is 21 years old; 5 ft. 8 1-2 in. high, weighs 174 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 35 1-2 to 38 1-2 in.

Oliver Travers, an Englishman, and a member of the Church of England; has been a trapper and rancher near Edmonton; is 23 years of age, 5 ft. 9 in. high, weighs 161 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 34 to 36 1-2 in.

C. C. Westhead, a native of Plymouth, England, and a member of the Church of England; has been ranching for sometime at Buffalo lake; offered to provide two horses; is 29 years of age; 6 ft. high, weighs 163 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 33 to 36 in.

W. Wood, born at Rice Lake, Ont., and is a Presbyterian; is a son of J. C. Wood, of Tofteld, Beaver Lake, and for sometime has been a teamster about Edmonton; is 23 years of age; 5 ft. 9 in. high, weighs 137 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 32 3-4 to 36 in.

J. Woolcombe, native of Plympton, England, and is a member of the Church of England; has been a rancher at Lacombe; is 25 years old; 5 ft. 9 in. high, weighs 142 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 33 to 38 1-2 in.

Hy. Y. Baldwin, a native of Toronto, and a member of the Church of England and is surgeon in practice at

Wetaskiwin; has been a military surgeon and has seen service in many parts of the world. At one time was a surgeon in the mounted police; is 39 years old, 6 ft. high, weighs 185 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 36 to 41 in.

W. A. Griesbach, born at Et. Qu'Appelle; a law student living with his father, Major Griesbach, of the N. W. M. P., at Fort Saskatchewan, who has himself seen much active service in South Africa; is 23 years of age; 5 ft. 8 3-4 in. high, weighs 140 1-2 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 32 to 36 in.

Wm. Jas. Mullin, Canadian and Presbyterian; has been engaged at farming, freighting, and implement selling at Edmonton.

Forbes Groat, native of Edmonton, and a member of the Church of England. He is a teamster by trade, and in a son of Malcolm Groat, one of the original white settlers at Edmonton, going there as an officer of the Hudson's Bay company. Groat is a good all-round man, a first class shot and an ideal scout. It will be remembered that about two years ago he rescued the captain of a shipwrecked whaler at Herchell Island and brought him to Edmonton. He is 28 years of age; 5 ft. 7 1-2 in. high, weighs 168 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 36 to 38 in.

Sid Harry Hodgkiss, native of Birmingham, England, and member of the Church of England; has been teamster and farmer near Edmonton; is 29 years of age; 5 ft. 9 ins. high; weighs 155 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 33 to 35 3-4 ins.

W. H. Hanna, native of Winchester, Ont., a Presbyterian; a farmer near Edmonton; is 23 years of age; 5 ft. 10 ins. in height; weighs 160 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 34 1-2 to 38 ins.

Frank A. Jackson, native of Winchester, Va., a Roman Catholic; has been cowboy, prospector and packer near Edmonton; is 37 years of age; 5 ft. 8 ins. high; weighs 149 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 34 to 36 1-4 ins.

F. C. Jamieson, a lawyer practising at Strathcona, Alta., native of North Gower, Ont., a Presbyterian; is 25 years of age; 5 ft. 6 ins. high; weighs 148 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 35 to 37 ins.

Corp. J. B. Manson, N. W. M. P., Scotch and a Presbyterian; from Edinburgh; has been in the police for five years; in the old country was an engine driver; is 25 years of age; 5 ft. 9 ins. high; weighs 160 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 36 to 38 ins. While in the police he was chiefly at Fort Saskatchewan.

Corp. F. J. Fitzgerald, of the N. W. M. P., stationed at Fort Saskatchewan; native of Halifax, N. S.; Roman Catholic; was with Police Commissioner Moody in the Yukon and with Insp. Snyder on the recent Indian commission; was 11 years in the police; age, 30 years; height, 5 ft. 10 1-2 ins.; weight 155 lbs. and chest measurement 34 1-2 to 37 ins.

Arch. Kerr, of Prince Albert and Edmonton; a native of St. Thomas, Ont.; member of the Church of England; a teamster and was a cook on the Indian commission; is 36 years of age; 5 ft. 6 ins. high; weighs 156 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 35 to 37 1-2 ins.

R. S. King, son of Robt. King, Wellbourne Hall, Lincolnshire, Eng.; born at Newmarket, Eng.; member of the Church of England; has been a cowboy at Lacombe, Alta.; is 26 years of age; 5 ft. 9 ins. high; weighs 160 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 34 1-2 to 38 3-4 ins.

John Lindsay, cattle buyer and rancher near Edmonton, born at White Lake, Ont., a Presbyterian; is 22 years of age; 5 ft. 7 3-4 ins. high, weighs 157 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 34 1-2 to 37 3-4 ins.

A. J. H. McCauley, Edmonton; book-keeper at the livery stable of his father, Mr. M. McCauley, M. L. A.; born in Winnipeg; a Presbyterian; is 23 years old; 5 ft. 7 ins. high; weighs 167 1-4 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 33 to 36 1-4 ins.

Thos. McGeechay, fireman, at Edmonton; was born at Castlemore, Ont.; Presbyterian; was in the "C" company of the Royal Canadian infantry; is 24 years of age; 5 ft. 7 ins. high; weighs 153 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 33 to 35 1-2 ins.

Arch. McKinlay, farmer and teamster, near Edmonton; born at Thornburg, Ont.; Methodist; is 35 years old; 5 ft. 8 1-2 ins. high; weighs 163 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 34 1-2 to 38 1-2 in.

J. D. Maloney, farmer, of St. Albert, son of D. Maloney, ex-M. L. A.; was born in Winnipeg and is a Roman Catholic; is 21 years old, 5 ft. 9 3-4 in. high, weighs 151 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 33 1-2 to 37 3-4 in.

C. H. Marchand, carpenter and bridge workman at Edmonton; a Canadian and Roman Catholic; was a member of the Battleford scouts during the rebellion; is 38 years of age; 5 ft. 6 1-2 in. high, weighs 171 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 35 to 37 in.

A. C. Maloney, from Gosport barracks, Eng., Roman Catholic, was a member of the Clatworthy Yukon party; has been working as a packer at Edmonton; is 30 years of age, 5 ft. 7 in. high, weighs 160 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 34 to 37 in.

Win. J. Mullen, machine agent at Edmonton, born at Barrie, Ont., member of the Church of England; is 24 years of age, 5 ft. 8 3-4 in. high, weighs 162 lbs., and has a chest measurement of 34 to 36 in.

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## STONY PLAIN

The work of the Spruce Grove Threshing Co. for this season is rapidly nearing completion. The machine is at present threshing at S. J. Boeles. There are only a few jobs still to be done.

The many friends of Mr. Louis Gagne are pleased to learn that he is improving in health. Mr. Gagne has been suffering from inflammation of the lungs.

Our farmers are hurrying to town anxious to take advantage of the good sleighing before it goes. Yesterday's thaw made quite a difference.

What is the matter with our schools? Some are closed which have shown a high average this year. Is this as it should be? Are children not to be considered? Should the education of our future men and women be thus neglected?

Jan. 20, '00.

## ANGUS RIDGE

S. O'Brien, teacher, Strathcona, was the guest of John McVicar this week. F. Oliver, M. P., for Alberta, delivered a political lecture in Wetaskiwin on Thursday evening. There was a large attendance. Mr. Oliver is the farmer's friend fighting against Northwest monopoly.

Your correspondent paid a short visit to the Wetaskiwin skating rink on Friday evening. It is creditably conducted under the able management of Mr. Montgomery. Mr. West's book-keeper.

At the first meeting of the school board for 1900 on Saturday last, Mr. C. Shantz was elected chairman, and Mr. Wm. Wilson, assessor, collector and secretary.

Mr. Jones, South Dakota, will move here in the spring.

We expect a large number of new settlers in this vicinity next spring. The literary society at Battle Lake is in a flourishing condition.

## LACOMBE

Constable Smith has returned here for a short time from Fort Saskatchewan. He is, however, under orders to return to the Fort on next Monday. This is unfortunate in as much as no doubt exists, that the Indians on the reserve here have lately been rather freely supplied with whiskey, and that it is reported at Pigeon Lake matters are very bad, indeed so much so that the Indian agent is taking action in the matter in which the assistance of the police would be of great value. As the matter stands at present if a constable is not stationed here there will not be one between Calgary and Edmonton, a distance of 200 miles, with seven or eight villages between and large settled districts. Surely this is a case for parliament when it meets.

The case of the death of the Indian woman has been fully investigated by Mr. Smith since his return and he has come to the conclusion that death arose from natural causes. The marks on the face were "prima facie" evidence of violence, but it appears that they were caused by the man in attempting to carry the woman after she fell, falling her fall two or three times. At the same time there is suspicion, that there was whiskey at the bottom of the business.

An encampment of the Maccabees has been formed here and the agents have been very successful in their efforts to do so having succeeded in obtaining over thirty members. We are now well supplied with friendly societies, having the A. O. U. W., I. O. F., and the above.

The doctor question has at last been settled as Dr. Robertson, who has lately returned from the Yukon, has decided to settle amongst us. He has taken an office in Pearce St., from Mr. John West and after his return from Edmonton where he goes for a few days to arrange some private matters, will permanently open his office.

Frank Oliver, M. P., addressed his constituents during the week in our school house. He met with a most cordial reception and apparently impressed his hearers with the fact that he held correct political views. Apart from politics he is most deservedly popular and no body can doubt for an instant that he is both fond and proud of the Northwest.

## FIRE AT DAWSON

Victoria, Jan. 17.—A large part of the business portion of Dawson City was burned last Wednesday night. The loss exceeds half a million dollars according to a brief despatch received at Skagway late on Wednesday night last. The steamer Farallon brought the news to Skagway before the details were received. Much suffering must have followed the fire as the temperature at Dawson was 40 degrees below zero with a wind blowing. To make matters worse, the city had been entirely without its regular water supply for two weeks. The city mains having hurriedly been put in place. In consequence, the pumping plant was shut down about Christmas, leaving the city dependent upon its old method of hauling water from the Yukon river. Between Dec. 1 and 20, 18 fires occurred at Dawson, all being caused by overheated flues. Wednesday night's fire was stated to be under control when the steamer left Skagway.

Rensburg, Cape Colony, Monday, Jan. 15.—The Boers this morning attempted to rush a bill held by a company of Yorkshires and New Zealanders, but were repulsed at the point of the bayonet. The Boers had 21 men killed and 50 wounded.

Jasper—Miss Elsey, J. Cinnamon, Clover Bar; Chas. Wamsley, Fort Saskatchewan; C. G. Cornelli, Sturgeon; Thos. Mitchell, J. Ball; P. Sillers, Fort Saskatchewan; James Wood, Athabasca.

Alberta—Dr. Robertson, V. Calkin; W. L. Rough, Toronto; R. Galbraith, A. S. Thompson, J. J. Wicks, J. Windrum, Winnipeg; G. Purcell, Guelph; O. H. Todd, Michigan; Miss Montgomery, Bitter Lake; Jas. Osborne, W. Cross, L. O. Gonesi, G. Mackenzie, Winnipeg; C. Young, Fort Saskatchewan.

Queen's—W. A. Fife, W. G. Burckell, Leduc; H. Campbell, Montreal; Gus Dose, Beaver Hills; L. K. Larsen, Stony Plain; E. Tellier, Morinville; F. J. Ecker, St. Albert; Howard Rossling, Jasper; Israel Umbach, Joh. A. Muslemam, Spruce Grove; Jos. Beaudry, M. Steffes, Morinville.

## STRATHCONA'S HORSE

Regina Leader: In all probability another mounted contingent will be raised in the Territories. It is announced that Lord Lansdowne, British war secretary, and the Canadian government have accepted the generous and patriotic offer made by Lord Strathcona, to organize, equip and convey to South Africa a corps of 400 western rough riders. The machinery of the militia and mounted police departments will be utilized in the organization of the corps. This last few days communications have been passing between Ottawa and Regina on the subject, and it is likely that definite instructions as to enrollment will be received very shortly. While as yet, so far as is known here, there is nothing definite to be announced, it is expected that the organization of Strathcona's Horse will be put into the efficient hands of Inspector Belcher, N. W. M. P.

## PREMIER ON THE TRANSVAAL WAR.

The following extracts are from Sir Wilfrid Laurier's speech at Sherbrooke, Que., speaking on behalf of M. Lebaron, the liberal candidate. Referring to the Transvaal war and the sending of the Canadian contingents he said:

"The cause of liberty is above distinctions of race and creed. It is said that the Boer war is an unjust war. I do not intend to examine the question. The war is going on. Our mother country is at war. It is enough for me. If we go further we shall find that after all the origin of this war is simply a question of civil justice, religious and political liberty. If the Boers of the Transvaal had been willing to give what we in Canada give to all who come here, religious and political liberty, that war would never have taken place. I do not desire to speak ill of a brave nation. We all admire bravery and the Boers deserved our admiration for their valor. I admire their courage, but I cannot help seeing that brave as they are, nevertheless at the bottom they have remained what their ancestors were in the seventeenth century, that is to say, they do not know what religious liberty is, and they cannot accord it. They are Protestants, it is their right, but they refuse religious liberty to other nationalities and creeds.

I am surprised at one thing. There is a paper which is called La Semaine Religieuse, but which I have long known to be more political than religious and conducted in the interest of all that was extreme in the Bleu party. I am surprised that a paper calling itself a religious paper should display so much enthusiasm as that paper has displayed in favor of the Boers. If the editor of that paper was in the Transvaal and published articles in such a strain he would be promptly shut up in jail but it is the nobility and greatness of the British institutions under which the publisher of La Semaine Religieuse lives which allow those institutions to be insulted with impunity. That is the difference between British institutions and the institutions of the Transvaal.

## WAR NOTES

London, Jan. 16.—News from the other sections of the theatre of war was again meagre yesterday. Methuen's reconnaissance into the Free State have not been followed up by increased activity. The Modder river. French troops holding the various correspondents as holding the new positions which were gained last week, but has not yet succeeded in cutting off the retreat of the enemy northward to the Orange river. Roberts confirmed this general statement by a midnight bulletin to the war office, adding that two squadrons of cavalry and two companies of mounted infantry were sent out Saturday and had returned after shelling the Colaberg road bridge. There was no change in Gabe's position.

London, Jan. 16.—A despatch to the Daily Mail dated Saturday, Jan. 15, from Lorenzo Marques, says: "President Kruger has issued a proclamation ordering all burghers to the front. The Volks-stem, the Transvaal official organ suggests that the moment the British cross the border the gold industry should be irretrievably destroyed.

President Kruger also issued a circular dated Jan. 8, to Boer commandants and burghers urging them to show more energy in the Transvaal cause. He quotes Psalm XXXIII, verse 7, as if God had given instructions to the burghers and says that the British have fixed their faith in Psalm LXXXIII. He also quotes the 89th Psalm, 13-14, and asserts that he has searched the bible without being able to find any other mode which can be

followed by the Boers who must fight in the name of the Lord.

London, Jan. 16.—Evidence accumulates that General Methuen has lost the confidence of his entire force to such an extent that it is declared it is doubtful if the troops would follow him in another attack on the Boers. The war office is understood to be in possession of a letter written by General Wauchope the night before the battle saying it would be the last letter he would ever write, as he had been asked to perform an impossible task and he had either to obey or surrender his sword. An immediate change in the command of the force may therefore be expected. It is anticipated in some quarters that Lieut. General Tucker will succeed General Methuen.

London, Jan. 17.—The Durban correspondent of the Standard deals to-day with the numerous reports that the Free Staters have tired of the war and will abandon the struggle as soon as the British cross the border. It prints a great story with reference to a journey of President Kruger's son-in-law, Bloff, to Delagoa Bay, in a German warship. According to this Bloff has been making arrangements for President Kruger's escape through German Damaraland, in the event of capture of Pretoria.

## THE LANDING.

Jas. H. Wood came in from the Landing last week. A great deal of freight is going out to Lesser Slave lake, via the Landing and Athabasca. To supply the northern trade the Fort Saskatchewan Milling Company have built a warehouse 30x10 and have some 450 sacks of flour stored there. They are hauling out flour and feed and will keep a stock of 4,000 to 5,000 sacks on hand.

McDougall & Secord's steamer is progressing rapidly. All of the floor timbers are laid and the men have commenced to plank.

Chas. Carson's freighting outfit of twenty teams, from Lesser Slave lake, passed through on the 10th bound for Edmonton. Some of the teams turned back with freight from here but the others went on in.

Timber is being prepared for 14 flat boats for the Hudson's Bay Co. next spring.

## METEOROLOGICAL.

The following temperatures are reported from the Dominion government observatory at Edmonton, for the dates given:

	Max.	Min.
January.		
Friday, 19,	45	
Saturday, 20,	45	22
Sunday, 21,	42	32
Monday, 22,		7
Berometer, 30.111.		
Precip. 0.18 of an inch.		

## PLEASED WITH ALBERTA.

Walter N. Perty, J. W. Gooch, and Conrad Smith, all of Ashton, Ill., came in Friday. These gentlemen are influential farmers and landowners of their state who propose emigrating to Alberta to take up land and settle here. They are all well pleased with the country and will be back here in a very short time to purchase land and settle here. They will bring some twenty-five or thirty families back to Alberta with them.

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